

# UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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8733.250.21

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Hiroshi KOMATSU

Title

IN-PLANE SWITCHING MODE LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY DEVICE

## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents

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## ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

2.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Specification	Total Pages	32	6.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
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		b.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. §1.63(d)) (for continuation/divisional with box 15 completed)	12.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Small Entity Status
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		i.	<input type="checkbox"/>	DELETION OF INVENTOR(S) Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 C.F.R. §1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).	13.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed)
5.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Incorporation By Reference (usable if box 4B is checked) The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4B, is considered to be part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.			14.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Other: Request for Priority
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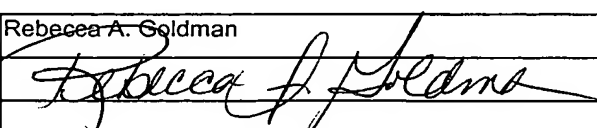
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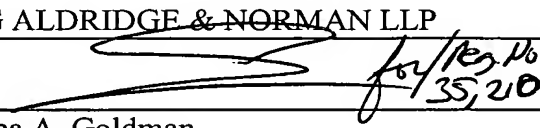
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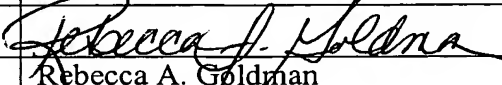
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<b><u>COUNTRY</u></b>	<b><u>APPLICATION NUMBER</u></b>	<b><u>MONTH/DAY/YEAR</u></b>	
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